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In the application of

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Serial No. 09/998,938

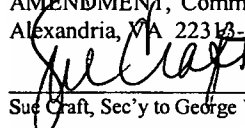
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For CARBONIZED PITCH MOLDINGS
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MESOPHASE PITCH AND HEAT-
SOAKED ISOTROPIC PITCH

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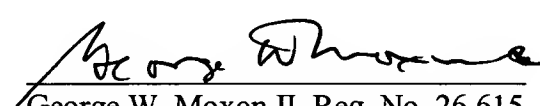
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In response to the Office Action dated October 21, 2004, the Applicants, through their attorney, respond as follows.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this document.

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